## PATENT Confirmation No. 4775

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RECEIVED

Applicant:

Joachim Laurenz Naimer, et al.

Examiner:

Dalena Tran

CENTRAL FAX CENTER

Serial No.

10/679,975

Group Art Unit:

+3105867940

3661

MAR 0 7 2006

Filed:

October 7, 2003

Docket No.

56946.022700

Title:

DYNAMIC VSI DISPLAY

Customer No.: 33717

## CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.6(d)

I hereby certify that this correspondence and identified enclosures are being transmitted via facsimile only to Examiner Dalena Tran, Art Unit 3661, Facsimile No. (571) 273-8300 on March 7, 2006.

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents Post Office Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Madam:

The non-final office action mailed on December 9, 2005 and the citations referred to in the office action have been carefully considered. Reconsideration of and withdrawal of the rejections is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks. No claim amendments are being made in this response.

## Claim Rejections under 35 USC § 103

Claims 1, 2, 5-7, 9-10, and 20-21 stand rejected as obvious over Maris '816 in view of Etherington '504 and in view of Steele, Jr. '064. Applicants traverse this rejection. It is respectfully submitted that these three references, taken together in any combination, do not and cannot set forth a prima facie case of obviousness with respect to either independent claim 1 or